

Call to Artists for Black Cap Coffee & Bakery

Spring is right around the corner and with the warmer weather and longer days, Black Cap Coffee and Bakery is bringing new life to our walls! We are currently in search of local art that embodies the life and vibrancy of Vermont countryside. Cows, barns, covered bridges, fields, meadows, mountains and trails are some of the focal points we'd love to see bring our walls to life! We want to support local artists who fit the vision we see for our space. Canvas, framed prints/originals and any two dimensional art that is not bigger than 30 inches by 40 inches would be ideal for our space and customers to purchase while in our shops.

A few things to note: This partnership between Black Cap Coffee & Bakery and the artists is a consignment partnership. With the nature of a consignment, all the art is the artist's property until it sells to the customer. Any stolen or damaged work is not Black Cap's responsibility. We have three locations of our cafes; Stowe, Morrisville and Waterbury. With that we ask artists replying to keep in mind non- compete agreements with neighboring galleries and shops. Considering the nature of our cafe, we ask that prices of the pieces be priced to sell, and we find that anything below \$300 is a good range. The selection of art will be at the sole discretion of Black Cap management based on the aesthetics Black Cap is trying to achieve along with the customers interest. Black Cap also holds the right to display art at the location and space of their choosing. We are excited to extend this call to artists to the Vermont art community and are excited for our customers, local and visitors alike, to get a taste of the beauty Vermont holds.

What we need from you to see if you'd be a good fit for our cafes:

- Artist(s) name and contact info (phone number, email, and website)
- A brief artist bio and statement about the work
- Up to 8 images of artwork that is representative in the style Black Cap is looking for. Files should be in JPG format. (Please label files with artwork title and your name)
- Please include an artwork list to accompany image files. Include the following info: title, medium, artwork dimensions, year completed, retail price (70% commission to artists/ 30% to Black Cap) Pay out will be delivered via check or direct deposit at the end of each month.
- Success of art (based on placement and sales) will be evaluated two months after initial setup.
- Work must be presented ready to hang on the walls. Black Cap will be responsible for price display, hanging art, along with displaying the bio of artists.

All submissions can be sent to alishap@blackcapvermont.com. Please allow 5-7 business days for a response with our feedback! Thank you so much!